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## PROCEEDINGS OF THE STATISTICAL SOCIETY OF LONDON.

*Third Ordinary Meeting, Monday, 18th January, 1841.*

Lieut.-Colonel SYKES, F.R.S., Vice-President, in the Chair.

In pursuance of notice given at the last Meeting, the following distinguished Foreigners were elected Foreign Members :—

Dr. John Fallati, Professor of the University of Tübingen.

Dr. F. Holst, of Christiania.

The following gentlemen were elected :—

Thomas Headlam, Esq.

R. C. Griffith, Esq.

William Ottley, Esq., M.A.

Thomas Southwood Smith, Esq., M.D.

P. L. Simmonds, Esq.

John Conolly, Esq., M.D.

Matthew Truman, Esq., M.D.

Humphrey Ewing M'Lae, Esq., was proposed as a Candidate for admission into the Society.

A paper was read "Remarks on the Abstract of the Parish Registers of Tavistock, Devon," by Dr. C. Barham.—(See p. 34).

*Fourth Ordinary Meeting, Monday, 15th February, 1841.*

The Right Hon. Viscount Sandon, M.P., President, in the Chair.

The Report of the Auditors of the Society's Accounts for 1840, and the balance-sheet of receipts and expenditure, were read. These documents are appended to the Annual Report.

The following gentleman was elected :—

Humphrey Ewing M'Lae, Esq.

The following gentlemen were proposed as Candidates for admission into the Society :—

The Right Hon. Fox Maule, M.P.

Alexander Ridgway, Esq.

John Griffith, Esq.

William John Hamilton, Esq.

Terrick Hamilton, Esq.

John Moss, Esq.

Adam Hodgson, Esq.

Rev. Whitworth Russell.

Kirkman Hodgson, Esq.

A paper was read, entitled "Comparison of the Sickness, Mortality, and Prevailing Diseases, among Seamen and Soldiers," by Major A. M. Tulloch, F.S.S.—(See p. 1).

*General Anniversary Meeting, 15th March, 1841.*

Sir CHARLES LEMON, Bart., M.P., Vice-President, in the Chair.

The Annual Report of the Council for the Session 1840-41, and the Auditors' Report, with the Balance Sheet, were read and adopted, (see p. 69 for the Report, and for the Balance Sheet, p. 75.)

William Horton Lloyd, Esq., and James Wishaw, Esq., were appointed Scrutineers of the Ballot for the Council and Officers; when, those gentlemen having announced the result of the votes, it was announced from the Chair that the following Members were duly elected as the Council for 1841-2 :—

Charles Ansell, Esq. F.R.S.

Charles Babbage, Esq. F.R.S.

Rt. Hon. W. Sturges Bourne, F.R.S.

John Bowring, Esq. LL.D.

John Clendinning, Esq. M.D., F.R.S.

George Coode, Esq.

Rev. Edgell Wyatt Edgell

William Farr, Esq.

Rt. Hon. Earl Fitzwilliam, F.R.S.

Joseph Fletcher, Esq.

Francis H. Goldsmid, Esq.

Woronzow Greig, Esq. F.R.S.

Wm. Aug. Guy, Esq. M.D.

Henry Hallam, Esq. F.R.S.

James Heywood, Esq. F.R.S.

Leonard Horner, Esq. F.R.S.

Sir Charles Lemon, Bart. F.R.S.  
 George C. Lewis, Esq.  
 Nathaniel Lister, Esq. M.D.  
 Rt. Hon. Earl Lovelace.  
 Rt. Hon. Holt Mackenzie.  
 Herman Merivale, Esq.  
 G. R. Porter, Esq. F.R.S.  
 Rawson W. Rawson, Esq.

Henry Reeve, Esq.  
 Viscount Sandon, M.P.  
 R. A. Slaney, Esq. M.P.  
 Lieut.-Colonel Sykes, F.R.S.  
 Thomas Tooke, Esq. F.R.S.  
 Major A. M. Tulloch.  
 James Wilson, Esq.

A letter from Henry Hallam, Esq., tendering his resignation of the office of Treasurer having been read, it was Resolved, on the motion of the Rt. Hon. Holt Mackenzie, seconded by James Whishaw, Esq., "That this Meeting express the deep regret with which it has learned, that circumstances have induced Mr. Hallam to resign the office of Treasurer, and tender to him its cordial thanks for the important service which he has rendered to the Society in that capacity."

The Scrutineers reported that the following Nobleman and Gentlemen were elected as the Officers of the Society for 1841-2:—

*President.*—Viscount Sandon, M.P.  
*Treasurer.*—G. R. Porter, Esq., F.R.S.  
*Honorary Secretaries.* { J. Clendinning, Esq., M.D., F.R.S.  
                               { Joseph Fletcher, Esq.  
                               { Rawson W. Rawson, Esq.

The thanks of the Society were voted to the Chairman, and the Meeting adjourned

*Fifth Ordinary Meeting, Monday, 15th March, 1841.*

The Rt. Hon. VISCOUNT SANDON, President, in the Chair.

The following gentlemen were elected:—

The Rt. Hon. Fox Maule, M.P.	John Moss, Esq.
Alexander Ridgway, Esq.	Adam Hodgson, Esq.
John Griffith, Esq.	Rev. Whitworth Russell.
William John Hamilton, Esq.	Kirkman Hodgson, Esq.
Terrick Hamilton, Esq.	

The following gentlemen were proposed as Candidates for admission into the Society:—

Viscount Ashley, M.P.	Rt. Hon. Andrew Rutherford, Lord
William Baly, Esq., M.D.	Advocate of Scotland.
The Hon. Hugh Fortescue.	Robert Cockburn, Esq.
John Wilson, Esq., M.D.	Bartholomew Bidder, Esq.
J. W. Bosanquet, Esq.	William Hutcheson, Esq., M.D.
Thomas Mann, Esq.	Joseph A. Dorin, Esq.
J. S. Pakington, Esq., M.P.	

The Chairman announced that the following gentlemen had been struck off from the list of Fellows, on account of the non-payment of their subscriptions:—

William Foster, Esq.	John Penson, Esq.
J. G. Phillimore, Esq.	John Parkinson, Esq.
James Mahon, Esq.	Henry Tennant, Esq.
W. C. Ogilby, Esq.	Major Handley, M.P.

The President announced that he had appointed, in accordance with the Regulations, the Vice-Presidents for 1841-2, as follows:—

Sir Charles Lemon, Bart. M.P.	Rt. Hon. W. Sturges Bourne.
Lieut.-Col. Sykes.	Thomas Tooke, Esq.

A paper was read "On the Comparative Mortality of Lunatic Asylums," by William Farr, Esq., F.S.S.—(See p. 17).